

Parish Services

Weekday Services (25th August – 30th August)

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| Monday, | Morar, 10am |
| | <i>Morag MacFarlane RIP</i> |
| Tuesday, | Arisaig, 10am |
| | <i>Alistair MacLean RIP</i> |
| Wednesday, St Monica | Mallaig, 10am |
| | <i>Pat Macdonald RIP</i> |
| Thursday, St Augustine | Arisaig, 10am |
| | <i>Joan Beaton RIP</i> |
| Friday, Beheading of St John the Baptist..... | Morar, 10am |
| | <i>Birthdays Blessings for Mary Bruce</i> |
| Saturday, | Arisaig, 10am |
| | <i>Ann Beaton</i> |

Sunday Masses 30th August/ 31st August 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

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| Saturday-Vigil..... | Morar: 6pm |
| | <i>Eileen MacPhie RIP</i> |
| Sunday | Arisaig: 10am |
| | <i>Pat Macdonald RIP</i> |
| Sunday, | Mallaig: 11.30am |
| | <i>Helen Kennedy RIP</i> |

HOUSEBOUND USUALLY: (1st Week – Arisaig; 2nd Week Morar; 3rd Week – Mallaig)

COLLECTIONS:

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| Morar/Mallaig: | |
| 17.08 | £298.00 (incl. Gift Aid £158.00) |
| Sick&Retired Priests..... | £194.00 (incl. Gift Aid £50.00) |
| Assumption..... | £76.00 (incl. Gift Aid £25.00) |
| Arisaig: | |
| 17.08 | £244.20 (incl. Gift Aid £91.00) |
| Sick&Retired Priests..... | £156.90 (incl. Gift Aid £70.00) |
| Assumption..... | £25.00 |

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR GENEROSITY: FOR ALL ONLINE DONATIONS, ENVELOPES POSTED TO THE CHAPEL HOUSE AND STANDING ORDERS INTO THE PARISH BANK ACCOUNTS.



HEATING&LIGHTING:

ANNIVERSARIES/MM: Donald Buchanan 24.07; Bella MacNeil; Alasdair Roberts; Deirdre Roberts; Elzbieta Biedrawa, Mary Toal, Katie MacInness, Janina Krasucka, Eileen MacPhie; Barry Benzie; Morag MacFarlane; Alistair 'Jumbo' MacLean (BDay 26.08.1947); Pat Macdonald (BDay Ann); Joan Beaton; Isobel Willener 29.08; Ann Beaton; Helen Kennedy; Jessica MacKinnon 21.08 (BDay Ann); Duncan MacDonald 21.08; Angusina Lewis (Died recently)..... *Eternal rest...*

Parish Priest: Fr Stanislaw J. Pamula, Chapel House, Morar, Mallaig, PH40 4PB. Tel. (01687) 462201
 E-mails for Arisaig Parish: arisaig@rcdai.org.uk (RC DIOCESE OF ARGYLL THE ISLE ARISAIG MSN), Sort Code 83-91-25 Account No. 65626995, The Co-operative Bank plc) or for Morar Parish morar@rcdai.org.uk (RC DIOCESE OF ARGYLL THE ISLES-MORAR), Sort Code 83-91-25 Account No. 65628087, The Co-operative Bank plc)

Parish website: www.catholicroughbounds.org // Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/catholicroughbounds

Liturgical Calendar texts taken from Universals® or New Advent Encyclopaedia unless stipulated otherwise.

DEADLINE FOR THE NEWSLETTER INSERTS: USUALLY THURSDAY, 12 NOON



RC Diocese Argyll & Isles – Arisaig & Morar Missions:
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Parish of St. Mary's, Arisaig & St. Donnan's, Isle of Eigg
Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour & St Cumin's, Morar
 St. Patrick's, Mallaig & St. Columba's, Isle of Canna

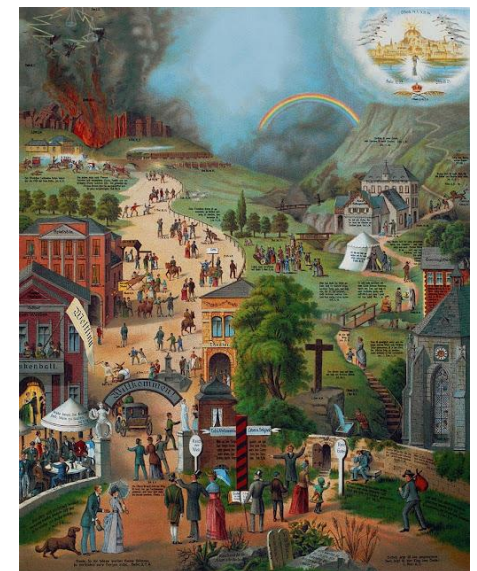
21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C) 24th August 2025

Mass Intentions:

Vigil Mass 6pm (Morar): *Eileen MacPhie RIP*
 Sunday 10am (Arisaig): *Eileen MacPhie RIP*
 Sunday 11.30am (Mallaig): *Duncan MacDonald RIP*

VISITORS: Welcome to all our Visitors!

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Do not lose your faith in prayer! It works miracles. I am always ready to administer the Sacrament of the Sick whenever you ask. It is not an imposition; I am happy to carry out this ministry. I will always respect your privacy and confidentiality. *Almighty and Eternal God, You are the everlasting health of those who believe in You. Hear us for Your sick servants for whom we implore the aid of Your tender mercy, that being restored to bodily health, they may give thanks to You in Your Church. Through Christ our Lord.*



LiturgyWorks

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A weekend of liturgy-themed workshops, spiritual talks, liturgical singing, prayer and *get-together* with people from around the parishes of Argyll & the Isles.

Conforti Institute,
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Participants should speak to their parish priests. You must book as room-sharing pairs* by sending a £50 deposit by bank transfer to Mrs. D. Maclean, account number 72783760, sort code 874362.

On arrival at Conforti, £130 should be paid at Reception Check-in (Cash or bank card). The weekend will begin at 4pm for those who can make it, but everyone should be present for dinner at 7pm. We will end with Mass on Sunday morning.

*Participants requiring single accommodation may need to make their own accommodation arrangements locally. They should pay their deposit and notify Denise of their intentions. Conforti will charge for meals accordingly.

For your SatNav: Conforti Institute, Calder Avenue, Coatbridge, ML5 4LS.
www.facebook.com/LiturgyWorks-190544861450244/

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

6th SEPTEMBER / 7th SEPTEMBER –
ECCLESIASTICAL STUDENT’S FUND.

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20th SEPTEMBER/ 21st SEPTEMBER –
PARISH MAINTENANCE. **USE** PARISH
GIFT AID ENVELOPES.

GRASS CUTTING: Many thanks to all our volunteers but there is always room for more! Thank you for your help!

SOUP AND SANDWICHES IN MALLAIG:

No agreement as yet regarding the date. Anne Tittley has been in touch with a proposal to organise teas/coffees twice monthly with the

Church of Scotland Congregation. I think it is certainly a positive way to gather after Mass in Mallaig but it would involve our Congregation to take turns with CofSc.

CAR REPAIR: It was a long day for going into Oban last Monday but thankfully, all fixed now.

YEAR OF HOPE INTENTIONS: At the back of the Church you will find special envelopes which you can use for your intentions for the upcoming Pilgrimage to Rome. You do not have to be physically present to be a Pilgrim! You can join in with us as we carry your intentions to the Eternal City.

ANGUSINA LEWIS RIP: Angusina passed away last Tuesday. She was housebound for a while but had a great veneration and respect for the Eucharist. Also, a good baker! Details of the Funeral will be announced in due course. We keep Angie and her family in our prayers.

DEANERY MEETING: Last Wednesday we held a Deanery meeting with priests from our area. We had a number of items on the Agenda to be discussed before September Clergy Assembly in Oban.

FIRST COMMUNIONS 2026: Lilian will be preparing our children for First Communion, so the time has come for the parents to enrol their children for Sacramental Preparation. Most likely the classes will be taking place in Mallaig after Sunday Mass. Date is set for 4th June 2026 at St. Mary’s in Arisaig. Deadline for admissions is 21st Sep 2025.

Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) will host a North Korean defector in Scotland next month to share his story of Christian persecution. **Silent No More: A North Korean Testimony** will see Timothy Cho share his remarkable journey, discussing how faith has shaped his path and what life is like for Christians in North Korea. The unique evening will shine a light on a subject which rarely makes the news agenda in this country. Join ACN Scotland at St Joseph’s Catholic Church Hall, Clarkston on 10th September from 7pm – 9pm. **Reserve your free ticket now** at <https://www.trybooking.com/uk/FDYV>. For more information, please contact the ACN Scotland office at scotland@acnuk.org or call 01698 337 470.

Kim Leadbeater’s Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill will be debated in the House of Lords in early Autumn.

The Bill, which narrowly passed through the House of Commons by 314-291 votes, is expected to return to Parliament on 12th September with further scrutiny and debate in the days which follow. If it is to become law, the Bill must be supported by the Lords. The House of Lords would normally be expected to support a Bill where there is a solid majority in the Commons, but because the Commons majority for this Bill is just 23 votes and, crucially, the Bill is not a Government Bill, it is still possible that the Lords could reject it.

There are over 800 members of the House of Lords and the process for contacting them isn’t as straightforward as it is for contacting MPs. I suggest that you find at least one who has a connection to your area and either write to them or send them an email. I have provided email addresses in the table. Please note that some Peers use a generic ‘contactholmber@parliament.uk’ address. Where this is the case, please remember to state in the subject line of the email which Peer the correspondence is for. If you cannot find a Peer with a connection to your area then please contact one or two random Peers.

You can also write to a Peer using the following address:

[Insert Name of Peer e.g. Rt Hon Lord/Baroness....], House of Lords, London, SW1A 0PW Whilst emails are easier, written correspondence is much more effective as it is more likely to be noticed by politicians.

Whichever method of communication you choose, please remember to be respectful and courteous, and please remember to include your postal address.

There are many defects in the Leadbeater Bill and this excellent [Care Not Killing resource](#) lists 26

of them. You may also want to check out this excellent [briefing by SPUC](#). You can use these resources to formulate your letter/email. Please also remember to share your own concerns and personal stories.

Thank you for your continued support on this very important issue. With your prayers and emails/letters we can still defeat this extremely dangerous Bill.

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